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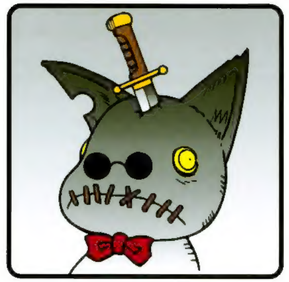

的良みらん

心のチラリズムは大切だが
多くの場合それに気付かない

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MATARA MILAN

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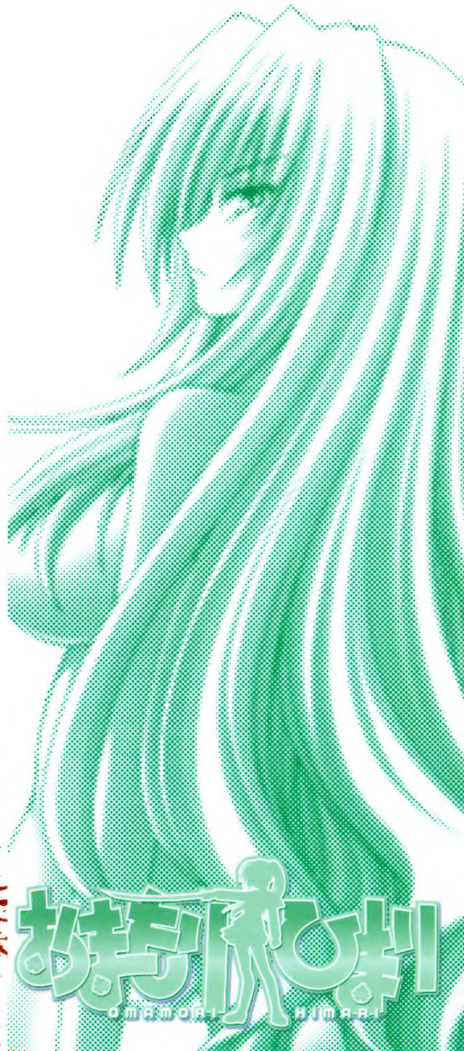
しび

酒呑童子と九尾に脅威する妖たちに力を貸すため、
温泉を訪れた優人たちの前に、大人の姿となったタマが現れる。
九尾を斬ることで自らの未熟さを断つと宣した緋羽は、
妖力を解放。ついに一太刀浴びせるか……!?
深夜の学園事件編も収録の、妖しくてハートな第８巻!!



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タマ（玉藻前）
タマモノマエ

やはりバトル要素のある作品なので
それなりに強い敵キャラが必要だろうと
考えて登場させました。日本三大妖で
強すぎるので欠片。欠片なのでロリ(笑)。
静水父が99弁になったので
今度こそ無口ロリです。
回復した妖力で
巨乳お姉さんにもなっちゃいマス。

CVが水原薫さんと
聞いたときはビックリ
しました。
「殺生石にやられた
おねいちゃんだ!!」(笑)。

エイジに初登場
した時期はアニメが
製作し始めた直後
だったんですが、すぐさま
アニメラストの敵として
決定。当時はキャラ設定
が完全には固まっておらず
アニメスタッフ側への説明に四苦八苦しました。
監督をはじめ皆様、スミマセンでした！

酒呑童子
シュテン ドウジ

決して玉藻前のパターで出したわけではありません(笑)。鬼ですが荒々しさではなく
慇懃無礼キャラとして描いています。
そもそも酒呑って調べるとただの悪鬼じゃないんですよね。『おまひま』では今後どーなるか!?
CVは菊池正美さん。もう収録で聞いてて
ゾクゾクしました(笑)。イメージ通りですっ!!

ドリルは描くの面倒ですが視覚効果は抜群です。欲張って4本。

柾木ハル
マサキ・ハル

泰三に妹がいるという設定はかなり
前からありました。でもストーリーに絶対
不可欠とゆー役割ではなかったので
登場することはないと思ってましたが…
これも連載延長のタマモノですねえ。
兄貴の出番増加に伴い陽の目を
見ました。的良キャラには珍しい
ギャル系です。

髪は兄と同じ
色に染めてます。

男物の
スカーゲンを
右腕に装備
(兄と同じモノ)。

ルーズソックス！
…記号ですねw

動かしやすい チョイキャラなので
今後も泰三とセットで出る！ 99分。

シャギー
ぴんぴん

きょぬー

狼なので
ワイルド衣装!?
みかづきさんの
指示ですけどねw

ギンコ

読んだ人は知っている、御存知
みかづき紅月女史によるノベライズ
キャラがまさかの本編ゲスト
出演！ パラレルワールドじゃ
ないとこういうこともできるんで。狼のはずが今や
犬っぽくなってますが…。
ギンコは意識的に
緋鞠1人上に喜ぶっぽく描いています。

実はボク っ娘
なのね。

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キャラクター紹介

緋鞠（ひまり）

優人を守護すべく現れた、“天河の護り刀”たる猫の妖。鬼斬り役としての優人のありかたと、己の覚悟を案じている

優人（ゆうと）

本作の主人公。平凡な高校生だが、実は鬼斬り役十二家の一つ“天河家”の現当主にあたる。鬼斬り役としての決意を固め、妖に対峙した際も“光渡し”で排撃した

夜光院 柩（やこういん ひつぎ）

鬼斬り役十二家の一つ“夜光院家”の現当主。未来が読める、自称・美少女電波探偵として活躍中

凛子（りんこ）

優人の幼馴染みの女の子。
小さな頃から色々と、彼の面倒を見てきたが、緋鞠の来訪によって“男の子”として意識し始めている

タマ（白面金毛九尾）

日本三大妖の一体で、まだ欠片。酒呑童子と組み、妖を喰らいながら緋鞠たちの様子を伺っている

Ver.Child

Ver.Adult

神宮寺くえす（じんぐうじくえす）

鬼斬り役十二家の一つ“神宮寺家”の跡取り娘にして優人の許嫁。過去、この世の真理・膨大なる智の宝庫に触れたことがある

静水（リスク）

水を操る妖。一族を滅ぼした地走家の末族を見つけ、怨讐の獣へと落ちるが、優人の愛情に救われ事なきを得る

リズリット・L・チェルシー

愛称は「リズ」。緋鞠がアルバイトしている喫茶店で働いている女の子だが、その正体はティーカップに憑いた付喪神。優人が「特別な存在」

あらすじ

猫アレルギーの高校生・天河優人の元に突然現れた猫妖怪・緋鞠。

「若殿のことを護る」と宣言する彼女は、過去の盟約により優人の守護を担っている。
ご近所で幼馴染みの女の子・凛子、優人の優しさに感化されていつの間にか居着いた妖・静水久らに囲まれて、賑やかで楽しい日々を送っていた。

遂に鬼斬り役になる決意をした優人は、みんなの日常やくえすとの約束、そして緋鞠の負担を減らし、緋鞠が獣の本性に呑まれなくするためにも、“光渡し”強化の修練に取り組み始める。
そこへ未来予測を能力とする鬼斬り役、序列壱拾壱位の夜光院枢が現れ、優人へ“光渡し”の助言と、緋鞠へある予言を残す。

「野井原の緋剣、キミは死ぬよ」

死を恐れていては、護り刀は務まらぬ……
言葉ではそういうものの、何か思いを巡らす緋鞠。

そんなある日、静水久や影月が渡りをつけた妖から、酒呑童子と九尾の脅威を前に結託を頼まれ、東北の雪山温泉へと出向くこととなった。

人と妖の共存がこの地では成り立っている……自分もいつか――
と温泉に浸かる優人に、2つの影

「私は前のほうを…♡」
「私だって、中はチョット熱いレモンティーだったりするけど」

この宿に住む雪女・小冬とリズが、優人の背中を流そうと（?）乱入してきたのだ。

2人が暴走を繰り広げる中、突如現れ、
優人に抱きつく金髪で裸の女。

「……うん、ちゃんと育ってる感じ」

と、リズが攻撃を受ける。仕掛けてきた女は、大人の姿となった九尾だった。

優人たちがピンチに陥ったその時、斬り込み入る緋鞠。

「九尾！　主を斬ることを以って、その未熟を断つことをここに宣する!!」

妖力を解放した緋鞠は、九尾に斬りかかり、ついに一太刀浴びせるのだが――!?

STEAMY CAT FIGHT ~ SUPER MOBILE ANGEL CAT

THE NINE-TAILED FOX!?

...IT CUT

GUH?

IF THAT'S TRUE...!

THOUGH IT ONLY GOT HER FINGER, ISN'T SHE SUPPOSEDLY UNTOUCH-ABLE?

BWAH!!

U-UH...

MEOW

BOING

LIZ, RINKO, LISTEN TO ME

HUH? WHAT?

WHAT IS IT?

ゆらぁ…

!

YOU SAW ENOUGH OF THOSE EARLIER, DIDN'T YOU!?

WHAT!?

WHOA! CUT IT OUT, YOU TWO!

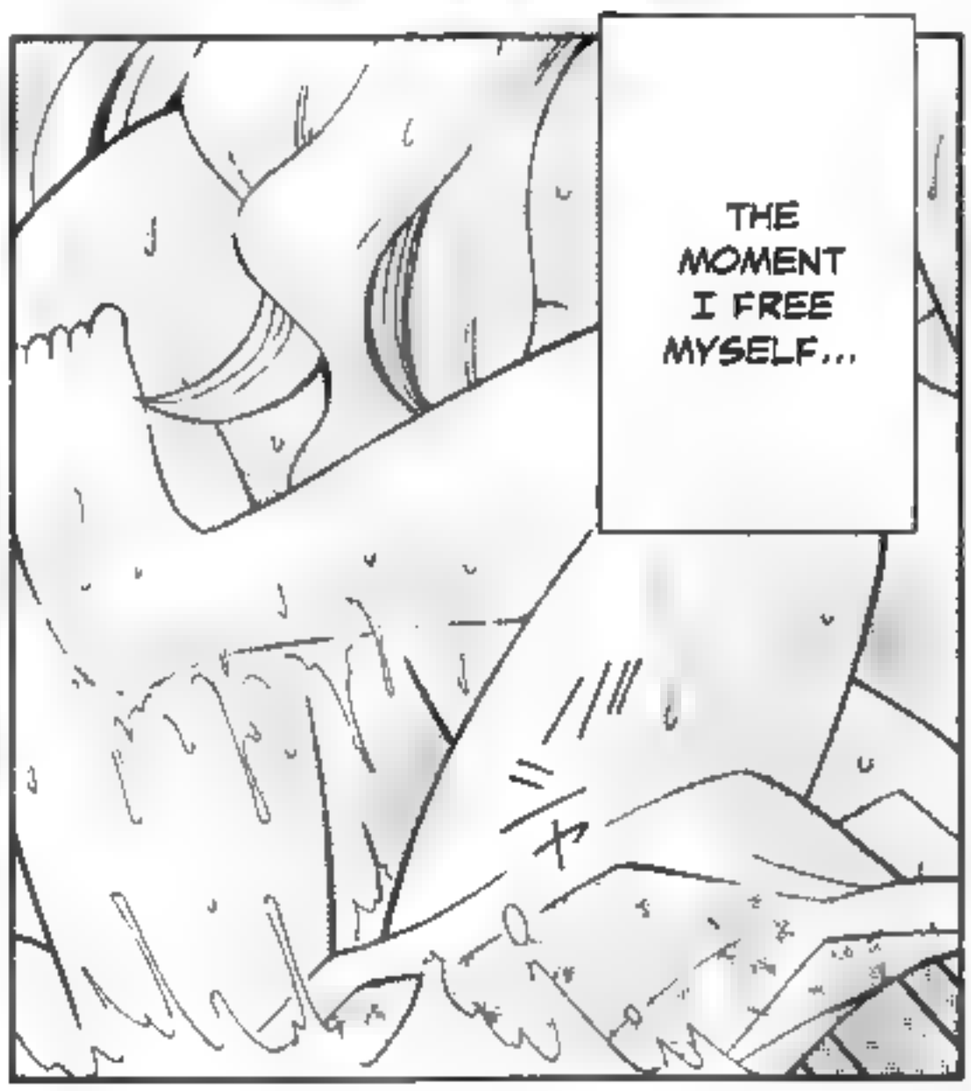
HEY! DON'T LOOK!!

STEAMY CAT FIGHT ☆ SUPER MOBILE ANGEL CAT

ばしゃ
ガラッ

TCH. AT THIS PROXIMITY, I CANNOT USE YASUTSUNA
キリ…
REGRETTABLY, BUT ONLY THE YOUNG MASTER MAY CARESS THIS BODY WITH HIS LIPS

HIMARI, HOLD HER THERE AND DON'T LET HER GET AWAY!!


THE MOMENT I FREE MYSELF...

SHI-
ZU-
KU!!

!

KU

KU

KU

MEOW!

RIP HER APART, YOU KNOW!!

!!

ON IT!

MAKE ICICLES! YOU CAN DO THAT, RIGHT!?

KOFUYU-SAN!

Y-YES?

It takes forever to melt, you know

TCH. IT'S HARDER TO USE SNOW INSTEAD OF WATER... YOU KNOW

PIERCE HER!

NO, THIS IS GOOD ENOUGH

...IT DIDN'T WORK! SHE BLOCKED THEM ALL!!

MY SPECIAL (FAILED) FLAVORED TEA THAT HAS TOO STRONG AN AROMA!

FINISHING MOVE!

☆

LIZ!!

DISPERSE!

NOW, RINKO!

HERE GOES!

むわ

……!!

UNNN NNG

HA AAA AAA AAA AH!!

ATTACK!

I'M NOT A DEMON OR A MAGICIAN!

SORRY, BUT IT'S JUST A MOP!

HIMARI!!

NOW

PUNISH-
MENT!!

I UNDERES-TIMATED THIS CAT

TCH. THAT'S ONLY AS FAR AS I CAN GO?

!!

...HUH!?

……

ドロ

SHE SHRUNK !?

...SH-

WHOA!

ALAS, YOUR POWER GROWS WEAK!

YOU SHAN'T ESCAPE!!

SH-SHE BECAME YOUNGER!

This inn's not big enough for two lol/rtas, you know

SHE REVERTED TO POWER-SAVING MODE... YOU KNOW

OH!

IT SEEMS THERE IS POWER YET LEFT IN YOU

HAH!!

MEOW!

!!

GAH!?

HIMARI!?

GIMEOWR

HIMARI-SAN!

!!
HOLD ON

THAT'S...

SHE'S GETTING AWAY...!

SNOW WOMAN, TURN ALL THE SURROUNDING SNOW INTO WATER, YOU KNOW

ばさっ

HAHAHA

A FLASH OF SILVER TEARS THROUGH THE DARK-NESS

IT IS I, SUPER MOBILE ANGEL JINGUUJI KUESU-SAMA!!

. . . . . .

slide

And enter the idiot you know

THE DEMON SLAYER...

HNNN

UH

YUU-CHAN AND OTHERS BEHIND THE TARGET CONFIRMED

YUU

VOMITING IN THE PRESENCE OF OTHERS?

HOW UNLADYLIKE OF YOU

SUCH SAVAGE BEHAVIOR

IS PUNISHABLE BY DEATH!!

……!!

...DID WE?

DID WE DO IT...?!

DID YOU WITNESS MY BRILLIANCE AND BRAVERY IN THE HEAT OF BATTLE?

OH, YOU I MEAN ANANAKA YUTO

KUESU! WHY ARE YOU HERE?

HAHAHA, MY HAIR'S ALL MESSED UP NOW

YOU SHOULD OBSERVE AND QUICKLY FOLLOW IN MY FOOTSTEPS TO BECOME A SPLENDID DEMON SLAYER

UH. .

ACTUALLY, I PROBABLY SHOULD BE...

!!

YOUNG... MASTER...

HAHAHA WHATEVER DO YOU MEAN?

YOU KNOW

YOU GOT WORRIED AFTER HE CALLED YOU, AND FLEW HERE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE

YOUNG MASTER, I CAN NO LONGER PRESS FORWARD...I WILL SUFFER A CHILLY DEATH

HUH!? WHAT ARE YOU SAYING!?

MEO OOW...

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HIMARI!?

S-SERI-OUSLY?

IF THE YOUNG MASTER WERE JUST A SOURCE OF MY WARMTH, I MIGHT BE SAVED...

or so forth

HM...

THOUGH I FIND THIS WARMTH SATISFACTORY

I would much rather the Young Master

SNOW WOMAN, WE'LL NEED MORE WATER FOR THE HOT SPRINGS... YOU KNOW

O~KAY

I'M STARTING TO FEEL COLD

I THINK KUESU SENT HER FLYING?

What?

OH, I HAVE YET TO ASK. WHAT FATE AWAITED THE NINE-TAILED FOX?

HM AS I FIGURED, YOU TOO HAVE HUGE BREASTS... YOU KNOW

KYA! WHAT ARE YOU...AH

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FUFUN IT WAS A SIMPLE TASK

THAT WAS ONLY ABOUT 30% OF MY TRUE POWER

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ナニ!?

YUUTO-SAMA LOOKS SO COOL WHEN HE ORDERS US AROUND ♡

Don't haaa

Hey look, they're getting harder

Oh my. ahh

WE WERE FINALLY ABLE TO BREAK THAT DEMON'S BARRIER, HUH HIMARI-SAN!

THERE IS MUCH TO COME...I GUESS

NO-NO-

Ah geez, what point is there in being beautiful now!?

THE YOUNG MASTER'S COMMAND WAS SPLENDID IN THAT COMBINATION

BUT

MMM...HAREM IS FORBIDDEN IN THIS LAND

HAH HAH HAH USE THE MEN'S BATH HOUSE THEN

I WANT TO TRY THE HOT SPRINGS TOO

CHOKE

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Chapter 44

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<Dyspathy> fuck it, we don't have to be so literal over a goddamn joke
<dr.pepper> I'd like to fuck a few things in that series
<Dyspathy> I'll start with Himari and a side order of Shizuku
<kundumstaf> Ninetails, Shizuku, Yuki Onna
kundumstaf once again proves hes a pedo first, man second.

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CHAPTER 44: THE CATS' (MINI) TWILIGHT

SO, WHEN ARE YOU COMING BACK, HIMARI?

WELL, I HAD NO REASON TO DO SO...

BECAUSE SINCE OLD MAN GEN AND THE OTHERS PASSED AWAY, I HAVE YET TO PAY MY BILLS

WHOOAAHH THIS IS AMAZING! I CAN ACTUALLY HEAR YOUR VOICE, HIMARI!

YOU sound so funny~

WHOEVER CREATED THIS "TELEPHONE" IS A GENIUS!

YOUR VOICE ALONE CAN'T SATISFY ME AFTER ALL

I WANT TO BE ABLE TO FEEL YOU, HIMARI!

HEY...

I'VE JUST NEVER USED ONE BEFORE!

I KNOW WHAT A TELEPHONE IS! GOD!

My my

DID MISS KAYA NOT LEARN OF THE MACHINE KNOWN AS "THE TELEPHONE"?

I hate mail

-SIGH- THE RESTORATION OF THE PHONE LINES HAS DE-TERIORATED MY RAISON-D'ÊTRE TO JUST FIFTY PERCENT OF ITS FORMER SELF

YOU SAY THAT, BUT DON'T YOU BITCH EVERY TIME WE PUT A STAMP ON YOU?

THAT'S BECAUSE THE PASTE AGGRAVATES MY NERVES

SUCH AS EARLIER WHEN MISS KAYA STUCK ONE ON MY PRECIOUS SPOT, IT BECAME QUITE SERIOUS...

LIKE I CAN TELL WHERE ANYTHING IS WHEN YOU'RE IN THE FORM OF A SEALED LETTER

THE SITUATION IS GRAVE

HOWEVER, IF PER-CHANCE SOME-THING HAPPENS, CALL ME IMMEDI-ATELY

YEAH, 'KAY

!

THE FOX'S COVERT OPERA-TIONS DO NOT PER-TAIN TO JUST YOU ALL OVER THERE

OH, NO, IT'S NOTHING; AYA'S JUST BITCHING AGAIN

WHAT? IS SOMETHING THE MATTER?

WOLVES EAT FOXES FOR BREAKFAST!

NEVER FEAR!

ALRIGHT, BYE. MAKE SURE TO CALL AGAIN!

I DON'T NEED A PUSSY

THEY DON'T LIE ABOUT THOSE EARS, DO THEY?

So you were here

waFu waFu

HEY, IS YUUTO ON THE LINE? SWITCH WITH ME

NO, I AM ALONE

IT'S NOT FOR ME

IT'S PAINFUL BEING IN PLACES WITH STUFF LIKE CONCRETE AND ASPHALT

DO DON'T ANYTHING DANGEROUS, HIMARI---

WHY DON'T YOU JUST *TRAVEL* TO TAKAMIYA?

I'VE GONE TO THE CITY ONCE BEFORE

WAS THERE SOMETHING OF WORTH TO BE OBTAINED?

YOUNG MASTER, I AM DISCONTENT FOR YOU TO BRING ALONG A FELINE ALL THE WAY TO A NORTHERN STATE OF SNOW

MAKE REP-? OH, PLEASE...

WELL, THANKS TO YOU, MASTER, I AM CHILLED TO THE CORE

HOW MIGHT YOU MAKE REPARATIONS?

COULDN'T YOU ALMOST THANK THE NINE-TAILED FOX?

YOU BECAME GOOD FRIENDS WITH PEOPLE LIKE ZENJU AND KOFUYU

OH, IS THAT IT?

Nya

H-HEY WAIT! WH- HEY! YOU'RE NOT COLD AT ALL!

AAA FINE! THERE EXISTS NO OTHER SOLUTION THAN TO CURL UPON THE TOP OF THE YOUNG MASTER

...NWHA?

YOU'RE PRETTY RELAXED IN SPITE OF THE IMPENDING TESTING, AREN'T YOU AMAKAWA?

Hahahahaha

BUT IF YOU GET RED MARKS, IT'LL BE JUST A LIIITTLE BAD, DON'T YOU THINK?

Y-YEAH, OF COURSE...

WELL, IT IS SPRING, SO I CAN UNDER-STAND THE DROWSINESS

haha

OH? IMPRESSIVE! YOU TROOPER!

MISTER! THAT'S A REWARD!

IF YOU'RE HELD BACK, YOU'LL HAVE TO FACE MS. KISARAGI'S MAXIMUM SADISTIC "PHYSICAL GUIDANCE"

A FULL COURSE, NO LESS

UH, UMMM... WELL... Is he kidding?

Hahaha

WELL MAYBE THE STIMULUS WOULD BE TOO STRONG FOR THE NAÏVE AMAKAWA?

HE GETS ENOUGH OF THAT EVERY DAY

FROM THAT SLUTTY CAT!

IT HAS BECOME WARM, HAS IT NOT...

.....

---KUESU, TELL ME THE TRUTH

ARE YOU SURE YOU SHOT DOWN THE FOX?

SO IN THE END SHE GOT AWAY...YOU KNOW

THERE WAS NOTHING I COULD HAVE DONE. IF I INCREASED THE MAGICAL OUTPUT ANY FURTHER, EVEN IF ONLY FOR A SHORT PERIOD

THERE WOULD BE LASTING SIDE-EFFECTS ON THE ENTIRE AREA'S TEMPERATURE. IN A WORST-CASE SCENARIO, AN AVALANCHE WOULD RESULT

OH? DO YOU DOUBT ME?

IT WAS PROBABLY AN ESCAPE TACTIC

NEVERTHELESS, SETTING OFF AN EXPLOSION LIKE THAT WITH THE MAGIC USED IS UNNATURAL...

AT THAT TIME WE SHALL ENJOY A GAME OF TAG

...AND ONCE AGAIN, DEMONS WILL BE EATEN... YOU KNOW

DROP THE SUBJECT. WE HAVE ALREADY DECIDED TO WAIT ON HER REVIVAL

NOW THAT WE STAND A CHANCE, I DESIRE TO FINISH THIS IN HASTE

SHE WILL LIKELY BE UNABLE TO MOVE FOR DAYS TO COME

STAND A CHANCE... YOU SAID?

!

CAT, YOU USED A FORBIDDEN ACTION IN THE PREVIOUS BATTLE, DIDN'T YOU?

THAT IS, ONE FORBIDDEN BY THE AMAKAWA FAMILY

I CHAN-NELED DEMONIC POWER INTO MY BLADE AND FOUGHT

ガラッ

IF YOU THINK OF THE OPPO-NENT, WE CANNOT BE PICKY IN HOW WE FIGHT... YOU KNOW

BUT MY OPPONENT WAS THE FOX!

IF I FAIL TO TAKE RISKS, I CANNOT EMERGE VICTORIOUS!!

...THAT'S RIGHT

OR DO CATS LACK GOOD MEMORY?

WHAT?

THAT'S A LIE...IS IT NOT?

!!

CAT, LAST YEAR ON CHRISTMAS NIGHT

DID YOU FORGET THAT YOU USED YOUR DEMONIC POWER TO ANNIHILATE A DOZEN OR SO OF THE FOX'S DEMON FOLLOWERS?

ON THAT DAY---

YES, ON THAT DAY, THE YOUNG MASTER MADE HIS DETERMINATION. 'TWAS A NIGHT TO BE REMEMBERED

I TOOK OUT A CUP OF SAKE AND WAS IMMERSED IN JOY AS I TRIED TO FILL IT WITH THEIR BLOOD

IS HUNTING MOST ENJOYABLE?

YES, YES IT IS

RIGHT

WRONG

I'M TERMINATING THE MAGIC HEAT FIELD

IF YOU DON'T GET IN NOW, IT'LL FREEZE OVER, YOU KNOW?

!!

W-WAIT... YOU KNOW

IT APPEARS THERE IS A MUCH MORE FEARSOME BEAST THAN THE FOX NEARBY

FUFU SO THE YOUNG MASTER WASN'T THE ONLY ONE WITH A TROUBLING HERITAGE

I POSSESS AN UNCERTAIN HEART.....IT SEEMS I, TOO, AM STILL IN NEED OF TRAINING

KUZAKI'S AMAZING!

UWAAA...

My four-seamer was-!

DOO RYAA!!

APPARENTLY THERE'S A PRACTICE MATCH WITH ANOTHER SCHOOL AS SOON AS TESTS START

OOHHHH! OUR FOREIGN, ATHLETIC RINGER KUZAKI IS OUR LEADING HITTER TODAY!

I WILL REMAIN HERE. I HAVE UNFINISHED MATTERS

ALRIGHT THEN, SEE YOU LATER!

HUH? YEAH. WHAT ABOUT YOU?

YOUNG MASTER, MASTER MASAKI, ARE YOU LEAVING?

I HEARD YOU WENT ON A SKIING TRIP WITH NOIHARA, KUZAKI, AND A FEW OTHER PEOPLE RECENTLY?

Y-YEAH...

NOIHARA MUST BE HAVING A TOUGH TIME SINCE SHE REPEATEDLY SKIPS SCIENCE CLASSES

If only she had the brains to tutor me!!

OH RIGHT, SHE SAID SHE WAS GOING TO MAKE THE PREPARATIONS FOR THE NEW SPELL

W-WHAT?

BY THE WAY, IDIOT MASTER

WE DIDN'T GO THERE TO SKI, ANYWAY...

EHH HOW DID I MANAGE TO IMPLEMENT COEXISTENCE BETWEEN HUMANS AND DEMONS, YOU ASK?

QUIT HOGGIN ALL THE BOOBIES!

INVITE ME TOO, DAMMIT!

THE NUMBER OF HUMANS ON THAT TRIP WAS LOW. IMPOSSIBLE

WELL, LEGENDS OF THE SNOW WOMAN WERE ALREADY STRONG IN THIS AREA ANYWAY...

ACTUALLY, IS COEXISTENCE REALLY THAT STRANGE?

HMMMMMM I SEE HMMMMMM MMMM...

YES. I'D LIKE TO KNOW FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

THEN HOW'D YOU MEET KOFUYU?

SO IT IS SPECIAL, IN A MANNER

THE EXIST-ENCE OF DEMONIC BEINGS IS LARGELY CONCEALED

THAT *IS* EMBAR-ASSING...

though only for a snow woman

TWO YEARS AGO DURING A MILD WINTER, THE TEM-PERATURE WAS TOO HIGH, AND I HAD COLLAPSED ON THE ROAD. THIS MAN AND HIS WIFE NURSED ME BACK TO HEALTH

WHILE IT *IS* EMBAR-ASSING...

OH, THEN...

SHE'S A GREAT HELP, WITH A PLEASANT DISPOSITION AND EVERYTHING

FROM THAT POINT ON, I'VE LIVED HERE AND HELPED OUT WITH THE INN TO SHOW MY THANKS

IF SO, LET'S HEAD TO AN ARCADE AND PLAY YOUR WORRIES AWAY

WHAT'S UP, YUUTO? WORRIED ABOUT THE TESTS?

BUT HERE, THAT KIND OF THING IS NOTHING BUT AN URBAN LEGEND_

SO IT ALL COMES DOWN TO HER DECISION TO STAY

THAT'S FINE! PANICKING AND CRAMMING FOR A TEST IS ALL PART OF BEING A STUDENT!

THAT DOESN'T SOLVE THE PROBLEM; IT'S MORE LIKE RUNNING FROM IT...

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TAKAMIYA

HUH?

HEY YUUTO, LOOK

WHICH ONE DO YOU WANT, SHIZUKU?

!

Y-YEAH...

SHE DOESN'T LOOK TO BE DOING TOO WELL

SHI-ZUKU...

Isn't it dangerous to be alone?

THAT'S SHIZUKU, RIGHT?

THE... SNAKE?

Weird taste

...THAT SNAKE PLUSHIE IN THE BACK...

YOU CAN'T CHASE TWO RABBITS

I'D WAGER ABOUT... 200 YEN?

FIRST, YOU HAVE TO PICK OUT THE ONES THAT ARE IMPOSSIBLE TO GET

YEAH, 100 TO SET IT UP AND THEN ANOTHER TO GRAB IT BY THE STRING.

YUKITO AND_ SOMETHING ELSE

THANKS...
...YOU KNOW
DON'T EM-BARRASS YOURSELF
OGOH
MEN WHO ARE GOOD AT THESE THINGS ARE POPULAR WITH THE LADIES, AFTER A-...
and that plushie is ugly as hell
IT WAS EASY!
THOUGH IT TOOK ME 500 YEN...

H-HEY, HARU. IT'S BEEN A WHILE

You were here?

Katsuage? you know

YO! IT'S BEEN A WHILE, CUTIE PIE

WHY ARE YOU WITH THIS SMALL GIRL? ISN'T THAT A BIT DANGEROUS?

Pe-do Pe-do

SPARE 100 YEN?

TA-TAIZOU, I DON'T MIND. SERIOUSLY

AH

SINCE WE'RE ALL HERE, LET'S DO THAT! OVER THERE

YOUUU!

ALSO, HIS NAME'S AMAKAWA! DON'T EMBARRASS YOUR BROTHER!

THAT HURTS! I'M JUST BEING FRIENDLY! F R I E N D L Y

WHAT THE HELL IS YOUR PROBLEM?!

WALK HER HOME LIKE A MAN, YUUTO!

ALRIGHT THEN, SEE YOU, SHIZUKU

SORRY, YUUTO. I'LL TAKE HER BACK HOME ASAP

WELL THEN, LET'S GO HOME...EH?

AWWWW, CAN'T I STAY A LITTLE LONGER?

ONE MORE...

THIS TIME A COUPLES SHOT... YOU KNOW

LITTLE SISTER...

OH, HARU? WELL SHE IS TAIZOU'S LITTLE SSTER

I WAS NOT EXPECTING YUUTO TO KNOW SUCH A... SO-CALLED FASHIONABLE GIRL, YOU KNOW

LOOK LIKE A LITTLE SISTER... YOU KNOW

NO, EVEN BELOW THAT...

!

TO OTHER PEOPLE, I'M SURE I WOULD ALSO...

I DIDN'T BUY ANY FROZEN FOODS OR MILK TODAY, SO IT'S FINE... YOU KNOW

BY THE WAY, IS THE FOOD ALRIGHT?

IT'S BEEN QUITE AWHILE

IS SOMETHING WRONG?

NO, NOTHING... YOU KNOW

But I'm not letting GO

TONIGHT'S DINNER IS FRIED CHICKEN AND COOKED VEGETABLES... YOU KNOW

and seaweed and tofu in the miso soup you know

OO THAT'S MY SHIZUKU, JUST LIKE A MOTHER! THEN LET'S HURRY HOME!

LET'S...

M... MOTHER...

...YOU KNOW

WHAT?

MOTHERS AND LITTLE SISTERS WOULDN'T HAVE THESE FEELINGS... YOU KNOW

I'M NOT YOUR MOTHER OR YOUR LITTLE SISTER. I'M JUST A GIRL... YOU KNOW

LET'S GO MORE LEISURELY... WE'RE TAKING A DETOUR, YOU KNOW

WHA- WHAT AM I SAYING?!

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THAT'S RIGHT

I FINALLY GOT THE CHANCE TO WALK HOME WITH SHIZUKU, AFTER ALL

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SO LET'S WALK AROUND A LITTLE MORE

KU AA...

AND HE TREATED ME LIKE... I'M JUST A CHILD... YOU KNOW...

I GOT WET... YOU KNOW

all over my body

HE-HEY, WHY ARE YOU SO WET?

IT'S YOUR FAULT...TAKE RESPONSI-BILITY, YOU KNOW ♥

OH?

STILL

ええいもう

IF YOU LIVE A LONG TIME, SPENDING TIME LIKE THIS IS NICE ONCE IN A WHILE...YOU KNOW

MEANWHILE, AT THAT TIME, THE CAT PRINCESS WAS

EVEN THOUGH I BESEECHED YOU TO HEAD HOME WITHOUT FURTHER ADO... THIS UNDOUBTEDLY ENTITLES PUNISHMENT, DOESN'T IT_

YOU WERE DELAYED INDEPENT YOU YOUNG MASTER?

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Omamori Himari
Chapter 45

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Hey, kundumstaf,

STEALING RELEASES IS A DICK MOVE AND NOT COOL YO.
Maybe you'd not have gotten kicked out if, ya know, maybe DID YOUR JOB?
So long, you won't be missed.

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CHAPTER 45: TESTS FOR CATS ARE TAKEN AT NIGHT

FOR NOW, THEY'RE SAYING HE COLLAPSED DUE TO OVERWORKING HIMSELF, BUT IT SEEMS THE REAL REASON IS STILL UNKNOWN. HOW MANY PEOPLE DOES THIS MAKE?

HEY, HAVE YOU HEARD? ANOTHER PERSON WAS FOUND COLLAPSED ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

YEAH, I HEARD. IT WAS A SECOND YEAR, SASADZUKA-SENPAI, RIGHT? IT SEEMS HE STAYED IN THE SCHOOL LIBRARY UNTIL IT WAS REALLY LATE STUDYING FOR TESTS.

I DON'T WANT TO HEAR THIS FROM YOU, WITH THE HORRIBLE ATTENDANCE RECORD!

YOU OKAY, RINKO?

?

THERE'S A PERSON OVER HERE WHO'S IN DANGER OF THAT EVEN IF SHE DOES WELL

WELL ANYWAY...

WELL IT IS FINALS SEASON. YOUR PROSPECTS OF ADVANCEMENT WOULD BE IN SERIOUS DANGER IF YOU FAIL YOUR MAKEUP TESTS TOO

IT MUST BE TOUGH HAVING TO MISS CLASS AROUND NOW.

YEEEAHHHH I FEEL BAD ABOUT IT, BUT THAT'S TRUE.

WELL IT'S A GOOD THING THAT THE ONE WHO COLLAPSED WASN'T YOU, RINKO.

ABOUT THAT...

WHAT'S UP WITH THAT ANYWAY? THOSE SUDDEN FAINTING INCIDENTS.

I'LL PRAY FOR YOU NOT TO BE IN THE RED...

AFTER THAT I WILL RECEIVE MY REPORT CARD AND THEN IT WILL BE SPRING BREAK AND STARTING APRIL IT WILL BE A SHINY NEW SECOND YEAR!

I WILL CELEBRATE SAFELY PASSING THE FINAL EXAMS!

IT SEEMS THAT THIS INCIDENT IS STEEPED IN THE OCCULT...

.....

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

THE OCCULT?

THAT IS,

"I SAW A GHOST"

PRETTY MUCH ALL OF THE VICTIMS WERE INSIDE SCHOOL GROUNDS LATE.

I HEARD THIS FROM OUR TEACHER, BUT IT SEEMS THAT WHEN THE VICTIMS WERE FOUND, THEY ALL SAID THE SAME THING

G-G-G-GHOST?!

IT'S A BIT OFF-SEASON FOR GHOST STORIES.

BUT SPIRITS ARE ALWAYS AROUND THOUGH.

Of course

KYAAAAAAA!! WH-WHA WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, NEKOHIME?!

NOOO! WHO?! WHO'S NEXT TO ME?!

Right now he's behind you

ALSO STANDING TO THE RIGHT OF CLASS PRESIDENT -DONO THERE IS A MAN WITH A GLOOMY FACE

THERE AND THERE....

WHAT? ARE YOU ALL AFRAID OF SPIRITS?

NAI BEING SCARED... AS AN OCCULT LOVER, I SAY LET THEM COME!

Y-Y-Y-YEAH!

IF YOU'RE GOING TO SAY THAT THEN LET'S INVESTIGATE THE SCHOOL AT NIGHT!

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ン！

HERE, WHAT IS IT, SENSEI?

ALRIIGHHT, PLACE, OK?

OH? THAT'S A GOOD IDEA.

I-IDIOT! YOU SAID TOO MUCH, BAKA!

EEEHHH! IT'LL BE FINE!

IF EVERYONE COMES IT WON'T BE SCARY!

CHAPTER 45: TESTS FOR CATS ARE TAKEN AT NIGHT

WELL, IT'S A BIT EARLIER THAN NORMAL, BUT WITH YOUR FAMILY CIRCUMSTANCES, I'LL ASK ANYWAY.

WHEN YOU GRADUATE, WILL YOU BE ATTENDING COLLEGE OR WILL YOU SEEK EMPLOYMENT?

AH, I DON'T CARE IF YOUR UNSURE STILL. JUST TELL ME IF YOU'VE GOT ANY PLANS.

IT'S ALSO FINE IF YOU DON'T.

WAIT, DOES BEING A DEMON HUNTER REQUIRE AN EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND?

I DON'T REMEMBER HEARING ABOUT THIS FROM GRAMPS, AND MY FATHER WASN'T ONE...

THAT BEING SAID, I AM YOUR ADVISING TEACHER

SO I FIGURED I'D TRY TO BE A LITTLE CLOSE.

I'M NOT SAYING THIS TO BE LIKE A PARENTAL FIGURE OR ANYTHING.

WELL, IT'S FINE. ACTUALLY, DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.

...SORRY. I STILL HAVEN'T FIGURED IT OUT AFTER ALL.

ANYWAY, IF YOU EVER THINK OF ANYTHING, DON'T HOLD BACK. YOU CAN COME TALK TO ME ABOUT IT ANY TIME.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

.....

THE CLOSEST EXAMPLE WOULD BE KUESU, BUT...

ONE CAN'T EXHIBIT ONE'S OWN STYLE IN A SYSTEM FULL OF FAKES.

AFTER ALL, SHE'S A REAL WITCH, ONE THAT HAS BEEN SAID TO HAVE TOUCHED THE TRUTH OF THE WORLD.

HER SCALE IS TOO HUGE TO BE A REFERENCE POINT.

EXCUSE ME FOR A BIT... HELLO?

...WHO ARE YOU?

HOW DO YOU KNOW THIS NUMBER?

WHAT IS THIS, ALL OF A SUDDEN?

WAIT, IS THIS ABOUT THAT GHOST TALK? OH MY...

"RING"

DOES...DOES SENSEI BELIEVE IN THE OCCULT?

WHAT?

!

IT'S SOME GIRL I DON'T KNOW.

SHE TOLD ME TO HAND YOU THE PHONE.

OH, IT'S JUST AN ACQUAINTANCE OF AMAKAWA'S...

YOU'RE STILL HALF-CIVILIAN SO UNTIL SEVERAL THINGS ARE PREPARED IT WOULD BE SMART TO KEEP THAT A SECRET. KUH HI~

HITSUGI! IT'S YOU, ISN'T IT YAKOU HITSUGI!

!

YOU HAVEN'T TOLD HER ABOUT DEMON HUNTERS, HAVE YOU?

HE-LO ...?

SO IT'S LIKE... A TEST?

BY THE WAY, I'M IN THE MIDDLE OF SERVICE.

YOU COULD SAY THAT, YES. KUHIHI~....

KUHIHI~ THAT'S RIGHT.

YOU'RE MISSING THE HONORIFIC, BUT I'M HAPPY THAT YOU REMEMBERED ME, HONEY.♡

IT'S THESE KINDS OF SMALL DEEDS THAT APPEAL TO OTHER DEMON HUNTERS. IN YOUR CASE ESPECIALLY.

Kuhihi~

WHAT?

AND WHILE WE'RE ON THE SUBJECT, WHY DON'T YOU SEE IF YOU CAN SOLVE THE "GHOST INCIDENTS" THAT ARE CURRENTLY HAPPENING IN YOUR SCHOOL?

AH, WAIT A MINUTE! HEY!

BYE BYE~

TRY REDIALING, AMAKAWA.

THE NUMBER YOU HAVE DIALED IS CURRENTLY IN USE...

KLESU INTRODUCED HERSELF TO THE OBSERVERS AND SUPPORTERS ALREADY WITH SOMETHING NOT UNLIKE FIRE, SO GO AND GIVE IT YOUR BEST

In the middle of service to someone somewhere~

♪

SOME UNEXPECTED PROFIT MAY COME OUT OF IT, YOU KNOW?

.....

WELL, I GET THE FEELING THAT I'D BE ABLE TO INVESTIGATE THIS ON MY OWN EVEN IF YOUNG MASTER, RINKO, AND THE REST OF YOU DIDN'T COME, BUT

EVENING ELECTRICITY. I CANNOT SAY WHAT IT IS.

IT'S NO BIG DEAL, EVEN I COULD DEAL WITH A SPIRIT OR TWO...

HONESTLY, AT THIS POINT I SHOULD REALLY START FILMING THIS STUFF AND UPLOADING IT ONLINE.

Y-YOU'RE PRETTY RELIABLE HUH, HIMARI.

YOUR VOICE IS QUIVERING CLASS REP

BUT STILL, WHEN YOU'RE OUT AT NIGHT LIKE THIS THE SCHOOL LOOKS PRETTY SCARY...

L-LET'S JUST HURRY UP AND GO.

THIS LEARNING FACILITY IS WHERE YOUNG MASTER SPENDS HALF OF HIS DAY.

KYAA-AAA!!

YOU ARE LATE

THERE IS NO WAY I WILL ALLOW SOME UNKNOWN *THING* INSIDE IT.

CALL MY
BE MY NAME!
GRRRRR

KUESU?!

OH, THE CIVILIAN WITH A PAINFULLY SMALL CHEST AND THE CLASS PRESIDENT ARE WITH YOU TOO?

IN THIS CASE, THE VICTIM'S LIFE FORCE IS BEING TAKEN ALL AT ONCE IN SUCH AMOUNTS AS TO MAKE THEM LOSE CONSCIOUSNESS.

OR GENERALLY, EVIL SPIRITS ARE THINGS THAT SLOWLY SUCK OUT THE LIFE ENERGY OF THOSE THEY ATTACH THEMSELVES TO, HOWEVER

FROM YOUNG MEN TO OLD STUDENTS AND SEVERAL OTHER MEN AND WOMEN

THE NUMBER OF SPIRIT BODIES I'VE SEEN IS LARGE

IT'S AN AMATEUR LEVEL IDEA, BUT WE SHOULD SEARCH THE ENROLLMENT BOOKS.

THERE MUST BE SOME SORT OF WILL, OR MAYBE AN IRREGULARITY, BEHIND IT.

...HMMMM I SEE

I AM A PROFES-SIONAL WITCH.

K-KUESU, YOU REALLY DO LOOK LIKE A REAL WITCH, DON'T YOU? ...JUST LIKE IN THE RUMORS.

YOU PLAN ON HAVING YOUNG MASTER SOLVE THE PROBLEMS TO EARN POINTS.

WAIT, IS KUESU NOT HIDING THE FACT THAT SHE IS A WITCH?

HOWEVER, IF A CERTAIN PROFESSIONAL APPRENTICE DOESN'T QUICKLY START STANDING ON HIS OWN INSTEAD OF RELYING ON HIS HELPERS I'LL BE TROUBLED.

That seems like it would cause a whole load of problems on its own

MY HELP IS ALSO PART OF THE AMAKAWA'S POWER.

TAKE HER UP ON IT, YOUNG MASTER

HIMARI...

WHAT'S UP WITH *THAT*

IT'S QUIET, ISN'T IT?

YES. BUT EVEN SO

Because I can't [illegible]

O-O-O-O-OHOSTS AND STUFF I'M FINE W-WITH!!

ARE A LITTLE B-BIT...

TO BE OKAY WITH ANY TYPE OF MONSTER?

DON'T WORRY! I'M RIGHT HERE WITH YOU!

AHHH NOOOOO... SINCE I WAS A CHILD, I'VE ALWAYS BEEN SCARED OF TESTS OF COURAGE AND STUFF

YUUTO...

I JUST KEEP SHOWING YUUTO MY PATHETIC SIDE...

AH, WHAT IS THIS? SUCH SIMPLE WORDS AND YET I ALREADY FEEL SAFER!

OR RATHER YUUTO IS GRADUALLY BECOMING A NATURAL LADY KILLER. OH, I'M SCARED!

IS THE MAIDEN INSIDE ME FEELING THIS?

AAHHHHNNNN

UH...UHMM... A-AND ME?

YOU SHOULD RELAX TOO, OK?

O...OK.

SHALL WE SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS?

WHAT A COINCIDENCE, MINE TOO.

MY IRRITATION LEVELS ARE JUST ABOUT MAXED RIGHT NOW

RIGHT, WARMTH! IT'S A LITTLE COLD, SO I'M BORROWING HIS WARMTH!

EH? AH, THIS IS... UMM...

WAIT, DON'T YOU LIKE THE OCCULT, CLASS PRESIDENT?!

WHAT ARE YOU CLINGING ON TO HIM FOR?!

THAT'S A GOOD IDEA. LET'S DO IT.

MY (HIMARI'S SWORD NAME) CAN CUT ROCKS EASILYYYY

YUUDOOOO

GGGGHHHH~ WHO DECIDED THAT ROCK BEATS SCISSORS~...

JYAAAAN KEN!

HOHOHO~ IN THAT CASE, SEE YOU LATER ♡

BUT IT MIGHT BE UNAVOID-ABLE IF WE WANT TO FINISH THIS SEARCH SOON...

S-SHUT UP!

GNNNRRR... THANKS TO YOU GUYS I'VE BECOME SEPARATED FROM YOUNG MASTER...

TO THINK THAT THAT THIEVING, CARNIVOROUS WITCH AND POOR YUUTO ARE TOGETHER ALONE!

EVEN SO, I'M A WORRIED.

AND IF SHE IS... I WILL CUT THAT LECHEROUS WITCH IN TWO.

EVEN SHE'S NOT SO LACKING IN COMMON SENSE THAT SHE WOULD TRY FLIRTING WITH HIM IN THE MIDDLE OF AN ENEMY'S LAIR.

THAT'S TRUE. UNLIKE SPIRITS, IT'S GOOD THAT THIS OPPONENT IS SOMETHING YOU CAN PUNCH.

B-BEFORE THAT, NOHARA-SAN... DID YOU REALLY MEAN T WHEN YOU SAID "SOMETHING IS HERE?"

YES... WELL, IT *IS* TRUE THAT SOMETHING IS HERE.

A LECHEROUS WITCH LACKING IN COMMON SENSE

K-KUESU, IF YOU STICK TO ME THAT CLOSELY...

UFUFU~N ♡ WHAT IS IT? DO YOU...FEEL SOMETHING?

"YES I DO. SOMETHING VERY SOOOFFTT~", NO WAIT NO. CHANGE THE SUBJECT, THE SUBJECT...

OH, RIGHT. I CAN ASK THAT IN THIS SITUATION.

SH-SHE SAID SHE WAS SIZE 86?

NO.

RIGHT, RIGHT: HAVE YOU EVER ATTENDED A NORMAL SCHOOL LIKE THIS ONE?

I'VE BEEN HOME SCHOOLED SINCE I WAS YOUNG

IF YOU WERE TO TALK ABOUT A SCHOOL, THE CLOSEST THING I'VE EXPERIENCED IS BRITAIN'S ROYAL MAGIC ACADEMIC SOCIETY.

WH-WHAT KIND OF PLACE WAS IT?

MAGIC...

NEW KNOWLEDGE AND RESEARCH, IT WAS INDEED FUN.

AT LEAST UNTIL I READ ALL OF THE BOOKS IN THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY.

YOU DIDN'T... MAKE ANY FRIENDS?

THE MAGIC SCHOOL DEPICTED THERE IS CLOSE TO WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT.

THE AUTHOR IS A GRADUATE, AFTER ALL.

OOOHH~ SOUNDS FUN.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE MOVIE, "PARRY POTCHA"?

I'VE SEEN UP TO THE 3RD MOVIE, YES.

1-B

SO THIS IS YUU-CHAN'S CLASSROOM?

NO, I D DN'T NEED ANY.

WH-WHAT'S UP?

OK OK!
TAKE YOUR SEAT!

"OK, I'LL INTRODUCE THE TRANSFER STUDENT.

HER NAME IS JINGUUJI KUESU.

SHE'S A WITCH AND A RETURNEE!

PLEASE GET ALONG WITH HER."

RIGHT NEXT TO AMAKAWA-KUN!

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HERE

MY SEAT WILL BE~

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NICE TO MEET YOU

DESUWA ♡

KUESU....

KUESU... REALLY HASN'T EVER EXPERIENCED THIS KIND OF THING...

EXCUSE ME

BECAUSE SHE'S TRAINED AS A DEMON HUNTER SINCE SHE WAS A CHILD...

MY, WHAT A NICE SYSTEM.

FOR PEOPLE WHO'VE JUST TRANSFERRED, WHILE THEY DON'T HAVE THEIR TEXT-BOOKS, THEY USUALLY JUST JOIN DESKS WITH THE STUDENT NEXT TO THEM AND SHARE HIS OR HER TEXTBOOK.

SCOOCH

YES.....

IF ONLY KUESU COULD UNDERSTAND US BY SHARING MORE TIME WITH US---!

THIS IS THE DAILY LIFE OF PEOPLE LIKE YUU-CHAN AND RINKO

!

MY WORLD IS A LONG WAY AWAY...

BUT....

KUESU, THAT KIND OF THING--

!!

BUT YUU-CHAN IS ALREADY ON THIS SIDE!

YES, NO MATTER HOW MUCH THEY CLING TO YOU!

THE YOU THAT MINGLES WITH CIVILIANS AND SPENDS A NORMAL DAY IS NOW YOUR ALTER EGO!!

DO NOT BE AFRAID, DO NOT SHY AWAY. BECAUSE I'M HERE WITH YOU.

K-KUESU...

IN THE FUTURE, WHATEVER DECISIONS YOU MAKE, I WILL NOT ALLOW ANYONE TO RAISE AN OBJECTION.

ALL SO YUU-CHAN MAY REMAIN THE YUU-CHAN THAT MADE A PROMISE WITH ME THAT DAY

THIS IS NOTHING SPECIAL

I WOULD BE THE ONE TO GUIDE YOU BACK.

IF YOU WERE TO EVER LOSE YOUR WAY

NOT AS A LIE, BUT AS IF IT WERE NATURAL

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ARE THE SPIRITS SINGING?

---INDEED, IT'S DIFFER-ENT FROM HOW IT WAS AT NOON.

YOUR SWORD IS EMITTING A RATHER SUSPICIOUS LIGHT!! IS THAT THE OLD ART!?

H- HEY, NEKOHIME! EXPLAIN IT SO WE COMMONERS CAN UNDER-STAND IT TOO!!

OR ARE THEY WAITING ON SOMETH'NG... NO, SOMEONE?

CHAPTER 46: THE CAT RUNS INTO THE HATCHERY

HAA AAA!

CHAPTER 46: THE CAT RUNS INTO THE HATCHERY

I UNDERSTAND WHAT KUESU'S SAYING, BUT...

NO GOOD, I SPACED OUT.

.....!

MM...

KUESU, HEY.

I- IT CAME OUT!!

...I KNOW.

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WOW~~

WEREN'T WE HERE TO FIND OUT THEIR REASONS OR INTENTIONS!?

WHAT ARE YOU MAKING IT DISAP-PEAR FOR!?

I KNOW THAT!

.....!

AND LOOK, NO NEED TO WORRY SINCE THERE'S PLENTY MORE.

UWA AA!!

BUT IT WAS INTER-FERING WITH MY SWEET MOMENT WITH YOU...

IT PISSED ME OFF.

YOU'VE BEEN SPIRITS AT THIS SCHOOL FOR A LONG TIME NOW, RIGHT?

WHY WOULD YOU ATTACK HUMANS NOW!?

YUU-CHAN!!

FIRST I NEED TO FIND OUT WHAT THEY'RE AFTER...

YOU GUYS, WHY ARE YOU ATTACK NG HUMANS?

GOOD LUCK ♡

OKAY, YUU-CHAN, GO SCORE A LOT.

S- SCORE? HOW...

They are spirits.

UWA!

KUESU, YOU OKAY?

DAMN...

EH!

KY AA!

YES...

RIGHT BACK AT YOU.

Y.....

WHA...?

AW, THAT WASN'T YOUR FAULT.

NICE JOB, SPIRITS!

S- SORRY!!

AH....

NN-

NO... HITSUGI, THAT ASS, JUST SAID, "IT WOULDN'T BE INTERESTING IF I TOLD YOU THAT."

Obvious, isn't it? Kuhihi

YOU SAY HIM, BUT WHO IS HE?

WELL, I GUESS IT'S THE BOSS HERE.

LIKE I SAID, WHO IS THAT.? YOU DON'T KNOW ANY-TH.NG, KUESU?

WE COLLECT THE STRENGTH OF THE LIVING...

FOR HIM...

!!

I HOPE THEY KEEP A LOW PROFILE TOO.

SO, WHAT DO WE DO NOW....?

YEAH, WE'RE JUST WASTING TIME HERE.

IS TO FLIRT WITH YOU AND I HAVE NO REGRETS.

THIS IS STILL KIND OF A TEST FOR ME, YOU KNOW...

I GOT THE PESTS TO SEPARATE FROM US. WHAT'S LEFT,

IF NOT, FORGET ABOUT GOING TO HEAVEN. I'LL DROP YOU TO THE BOTTOM OF THE COCYTUS

YOU PITIABLE SPIRITS! BE NICE AND GUIDE US TO YOUR MASTER!!

I'LL LET YOU TASTE ETERNAL TORTURE!!

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HAA—

HIT—

I SAW THIS IN A GAME BEFORE!!

A GIRL SWINGING AROUND A SWORD AT NIGHT IN SCHOOL, SLASHING DEMONS. PEOPLE DON'T KNOW ABOUT.

SHE'S CUTTING SPIRITS! EVEN THOUGH! THEY HAVE NO BODIES?!

HEH.

BUT I APPLIED TOO MUCH STRENGTH AND DAMAGED THE GROUND AND WINDOWS A BIT.

IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT AS INTERFERENCE WITH THE MAGNETIC FIELD V.A MY YASUTSUNA, YOU SHOULD GET IT.

THEY MAY HAVE NO PHYSICAL BODY, BUT THEY CERTAINLY EXIST.

I- I DIDN'T SEE ANYTHING.

WOULD THAT GET ONE SUSPENDED, CLASS REP?

THE SPIRITS ATTACKING HUMANS ARE...

ARE DIFFERENT FROM THE NORMAL WANDERING SPIRITS OR EARTH-BOUND SPIRITS.

LIKE KUESU SAID, THERE'S SOMETHING BEHIND THIS.

SO, WHAT NOW? IF YOU GOT THEM, LET'S CALL YUUTO AND GO HOME.

THAT WON'T DO.

HEY, THIS IS THE 4TH FLOOR!!

!

....HEY, YOU TWO. LOOK AT THIS.

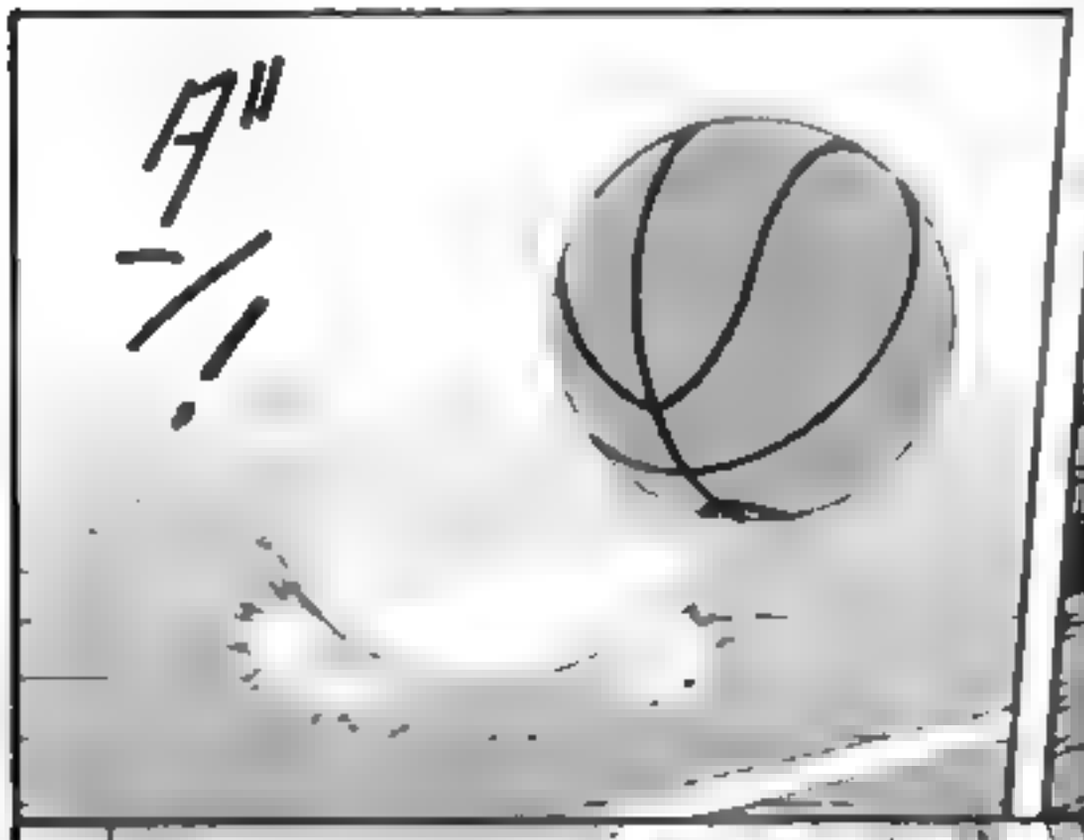
ARE THEY INVITING US, OR DID KUESU GET THE GUN ON US...?

I'M SURE NO CLUB HAS NIGHT TRAINING TODAY.

WE'LL KNOW IF WE GO THERE.

E- EHM.. A SUPER CATGIRL?

....NOHRA-SAN IS...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WHAT A CUTE DEMON HUNTER COUPLE.

----YO

IT'S BEEN A WHILE.

DOUI.

SHUTEN....

!

....FOR-
GIVE ME.

THE KITTY WAS
HERE TOO.

"MOON OF
TWILIGHT"-
DONO.

THEY OFTEN SAY
TO HONE YOUR
SKILLS, RIGHT?

HIMARI!

WHERE ARE THE OTHER TWO?

DAMN CAT, SHE CAME

HEY...

MY, MY, YOU FIND THIS UNEXPECTED FAST...

I WAS TRYING FOR A "YOU CAN'T SEE THE FOREST FOR THE TREE" THOUGH.

I JUST WENT AHEAD.

DON'T WORRY.

IT'S NOT LIKE I ORDERED THEM TO.

HMP, YOU REALLY THOUGHT WE WOULDN'T FIND OUT WITH THE SPIRITS RUNNING AROUND SO FLASHY?

IT SEEMS WHEN THEY CAME HERE, THEY MISTOOK ME FOR THE KING OR PRINCE OF THE UNDERWORLD.

AND SINCE THEN THEY HAVE BEEN OFFERING ME THE ENERGY OF LIVING BEINGS.

AH, YOU MEAN THEM?

---SO,

WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

MAN THAT REALLY GOT ME.

THAT'S WHAT EXPOSED ME AND BROUGHT ME DOWN.

Hahaha!

THERE MIGHT BE AN UNEXPECTED HARVEST.

LET'S SEE...

THAT HITSUGI KNEW...!

THOUGH, I WANTED TO TAKE IT FROM THE WHOLE STUDENT BODY, MORE SLOWLY AND OVER A LONGER PERIOD.

BASICALLY THE SAME THING AS THEY ARE.

I HAD OTHER THINGS TO DO.

AND YOU SEE,

YOU WERE BULLYING TAMA-SAN WHEN I WASN'T AROUND.

MHM, YEAH. SHE GOT A BIT COCKY, SO...

IF I HAD KNOWN TAMA-SAN WOULD START ALONE, I WOULD HAVE STOPPED HER.

GOOD THING YOU WEREN'T AROUND.

I JUST SHOWED THEM HER PLACE.

I NEED TO RESTORE HER.

----SO, DID YOU FIND THE OTHER BODY PARTS YOU WENT TO SEARCH FOR SEPARATELY?

LOOKS LIKE YOU GOT AROUND QUITE A BIT. NASUNO IN TOCHIGI PREFECTURE, KATSUYAMA IN OKAYAMA PREFECTURE, JOUETSU IN NIGATA PREFECTURE.

AKITAKADA IN HIROSHIMA PREFECTURE AND BUNGOTAKADA IN OOIN PREFECTURE... HOW DILIGENT...

!!

WHY DO YOU...?

ALL THE PLACES THE BODY OF THE KYUUBI SCATTERED TO ACCORDING TO GENNOU SHINSHOU, HUH.

BESIDES, NOT TELLING US "HE'S RIGHT HERE" IS JUST LIKE HER.

EVEN IF YOU ERASED YOUR SPIRITUAL POWER, SHE CONTINUED TO TRACE DOWN YOUR WHEREABOUTS THROUGH VARIOUS METHODS.

IT WAS A FAILURE TO EXPOSE YOURSELF TO YAKOUIN HITSUGI.

this time I only have appearances like this, kehehe.

BASICALLY... AN ENEMY! WHAT'S MORE, HE'S A BOSS CLASS!?

REMINDS ME, SOME STUDENTS SAID SAY SAW A "YOUNG MAN", COULD THAT BE HIM?

JUDGING BY THEIR CONVERSATION, THAT MAN IS A COMPANION OF THE FOX

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CLASS REP, LISTEN.

EH?

WE BETTER GET AWAY FROM HERE.

IT MIGHT ALREADY BE TOO LATE AND WE RE ALREADY DISCOVERED,

BUT TO NOT NTERRUPT THEM, WE NEED TO....

YOU'RE ALREADY DISCOVERED.

BUT I WON'T TAKE HOSTAGES, SO DON'T WORRY.

CLASS REP!

RINKO!

MAKES ME ENVIOUS.

MY, MY, THERE SURE ARE A LOT OF CUTE GIRLS AROUND YOU, AMAKAWA YUUTO-KUN.

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IS YOUR FAVORITE?

SO, WHICH GIRL...

AHAHA!

...OH, COULD IT BE I STEPPED ON A LANDMINE?

.....

BUT NOW THE SWEET ROOM FOR ME AND TAMA-SAN IS RUINED.

AND HERE I FINALLY MANAGED TO SNEAK IN THROUGH A GAP IN THE KITTY'S WEAKENED BARRIER...

LET'S DO THIS.

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WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO TO COMPENSATE ME FOR THAT?

WHAT?

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DEMON CLAWS VS. CAT CLAWS

I SHOULD GO AND SCARE THEM ALL MAGNIFI-CENTLY...

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GOING TO SCHOOL AT NIGHT, AFTER DINNER...? SUCH A CHILD-ISH EVENT...

12:00 - Animal Travels Special
The Snake Kingdom and the Phantom Giant Snake, now caught on film!
A new form of snake unknown to the world!
Just what has been found in these undiscovered rows deep in the Amazon!?

NEXT WE HAVE A NEW BREED OF...

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I'M MUCH STRONGER...

...SNAKES THEY SHOW ON TV AREN'T ALL THAT GREAT...

LAUNDRY NOW COMPLETE...

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KH...

THAT DEMON SKIN OF HIS REALLY IS SOMETHING.

EVEN IF HE'S ONLY HALF-REVIVED...

THANKS FOR THE SAVE, HIMARI!

HUH?

WOULD YOU MIND WATCHING FROM THE SIDELINES FOR NOW?

SO HE'LL PROBABLY GET ANGRY AT ME IF I HURT YOU.

I AM QUITE HUMBLED TO RECEIVE YOUR PRAISE.

WAWA...

RIDICULOUS! I AM THE YOUNG MASTER'S GUARDIAN SWORD!

LIKE I CARE ABOUT SOME FOX!

I MUST SAY THOUGH, TAMA-SAN SEEMS TO HAVE TAKING QUITE A LIKING TO YOU.

OH, WHAT'S THIS?

AHAHAHA, THAT DOES MAKE SENSE...

YOUR SPELLS ARE TOO POWERFUL TO USE HERE.

MU!

LEAVE, JINGUUJI WITCH.

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EXCUSE ME, YOU DEMON AND CAT OVER THERE!

THE EXQUISITE, NOBLE "DUSK MOON" WHOSE LIGHT FILLS THE NIGHT SKY...

OF COURSE, I HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN.

I TRUST YOU HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN ABOUT ME, JINGUUJI KUESU. NOW HAVE YOU!?

W-WHAT DO YOU WANT...?

DO YOU THINK YOUR KIND CAN DEFEAT ME?

A DEMON SLAYER WHO HAS SURPASSED OTHER HUMANS.

HA!

IF YOU WISH FOR DEATH, THEN I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU RIGHT THIS MOMENT!!

...HMPH.

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I-I'LL PROTECT THE CIVILIANS!

I DON'T CARE WHO I FIGHT!

EH, ME!?

...AND THERE YOU HAVE IT! GO BEAT THAT GUY TO A PULP, YUU-CHAN!

IF YOU CAN'T EVEN UNDERSTAND THAT, THEN CLOSE YOUR EYES AND COVER YOUR EARS.

EVEN IF IT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU, IT'S TRIVIAL TO US.

KUESU!

KUESU-SAN...

I DIDN'T APPROVE ANY QUESTIONS.

THAT CROW... IT'S A SHIKIGAMI.

WITH THAT THING HERE, EVEN I CAN'T...

RINKO, KUESU-SAN!

LOOK!!

OH MY, AREN'T YOU TOUGH.

SO SORRY TO TELL YOU, BUT YOU AND THAT CAT PRINCESS' ANTICS ALREADY LET US KNOW FULL WELL HOW WEAK WE ARE!

WE DON'T NEED TO CLOSE OUR EYES OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT!

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DON T DIE TOO EASILY ON ME NOW.

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NOW THEN, SHALL WE PLAY A LITTLE?

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UWA!

YUUTO!?

HEY, CAT! PROTECT AMAKAWA YUUTO WILL YOU!!

UWA... DIDN'T EVEN HAVE TIME TO CLOSE MY EYES.

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THAT... WASN'T SFX, WAS IT?

ARE YOU OKAY, YOUNG MASTER!?

THIS BRINGS BACK MEMO-RIES... SUCH A NICE NIGHT.

BACK IN KYOTO WE'D HAVE FEASTS EVERY NIGHT.

THIS PLACE IS FAR ENOUGH AWAY

TO MAKE ME DROWN ME IN SENTIMENTALITY.

BETTER THAN BEING UNARMED, I SUPPOSE

AN IRON RULER I FOUND IN THE CLASSROOM. I M BORROWING IT FOR A BIT.

WHAT IS THAT, YOUNG MASTER?

HM?

...LISTEN, YOUNG MASTER.

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GOOD GUYS AND BAD GUYS BOTH REALLY SEEM TO LOVE HIGH PLACES.

HE S ON THE ROOF RIGHT NOW. HE DOESN'T SEEM TO BE HIDING H.S DEMON AURA AT ALL.

DEFEAT HIM, YOUNG MASTER.

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IT IS LIKELY THAT HE HAS [illegible] TO USE THIS NIGHT TO SETTLE THINGS WHILE TAMA-MONOMAE IS ABSENT.

DEFEAT HIM... CAN I EVEN WIN?

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WORR.ED?

HOWEVER, THAT DOESN'T MEAN WE HAVE TO DO THE SAME.

H-H-HIMARI...

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UHHH.

HMMPH...

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MMHH.

MMHH...

MMH.

SFX BUBBLES: RUBBING AND KISSING SOUND

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AH...

IF YOU DEFEAT HIM...

HEH HEH, DID THAT CHEER YOU UP?

I'LL DO SOMETHING EVEN BETTER FOR YOU.

E-EVEN BETTER?

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I'LL MAKE A MAN OUT OF YOU!

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THAT CROW... I SUPPOSE THERE IS NO NEED TO INFORM HIM THAT WE'RE BEING WATCHED BY THEM.

HIMARI.

LET'S GO HIMARI!!

YOUR VOICE IS CRACKING, YOUNG MASTER

UOHHHH!

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DON'T SHOW YOUR CAT EARS OR TAIL, OKAY?

UNDERSTOOD.

...OKAY.

HIS ALLERGIES ARE A BIG HINDERANCE TO THE "LIGHT FERRY."

I HAVE NO OTHER CHOICE.

I WON'T LET HER TEARS FOAM OR USE HER SPIRIT POWERS!

THOSE THINGS COULD DRAG HIKARI INTO THE DARKNESS

THEN LET'S GO!!

YEAH!!

THERE'S THE BOAT! ARE YOU READY, YOUKO MASTER!?

SHUTEN

DOUJI!!

!!

HOLD ON HIMARI!!

AH...

NYA...

YOU'RE QUITE THE DEMON SLAYER FOR A BOY YOUR...

I GUESS YOU SAW THROUGH THAT.

HAHA, I'D LAID OUT A SPIRIT POWER TRAP, BUT...

MY CAT EARS ALMOST CAME OUT

FOOL! WHY DID YOU GRAB MY BREASTS ALL OF A SUDDEN!?

I TOLD YOU WE'D CONTINJE AFTER YOU DEFEATED HIM!

HAA, GOOD GR.EF...

WHAT AM I GONNA DO WITH YOU TWO

S-SORRY.

I DON'T MIND. AIMING FOR OPENINGS AND BLIND SPOTS IS WHAT A BATTLE IS ALL ABOUT.

I CAN'T AFFORD TO PLAY FAIR!

...SORRY, BUT I'M JUST A NOVICE.

I WOULD NOT CALL SOMETHING OF THIS CALIBER COWARDICE, SO REST EASY.

ZU

HAA!

ZU

!!

YOUNG MASTER!

THAT WAS QUITE A POWERFUL BLOW DESPITE HAVING LITTLE WEIGHT BEHIND IT.

GHI

YOU'VE CHANGED TOO, I SEE.

KH...

A LITTLE WHILE AGO, I WAS THINKING TO MYSELF THAT YOU LOOK QUITE SPLENDID...

When you're determined to fight

YOUNG MASTER!!

HAHAHA, COME NOW.

IT'S NOT JUST GIRLS? YOU EVEN GET JEALOUS WHEN GUYS COME NEAR HIM?

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F-FOOL!

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BY THE WAY, YOUR LONG HAIR IS BEAU-TIFUL, BUT IT'LL PROVE FATAL FOR YOU ONE DAY, YOU KNOW.

NO MATTER HOW AGILE YOU MAY BE

LONG HAIR ALWAYS SLOWS YOUR MOVE-MENTS DOWN.

SLOP

AH!

HIMARI!?

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OMAMORI HIMARI
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NOISY LITTLE CATS NEED TO BE PUNISHED.

CHAPTER 48: CATS PLAYING IN THE DEMON MONTH

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HIMARI!!

CALM DOWN, YOUNG MASTER...

BASTARD...! LET HIMARI GO!!

BEING SARCASTIC

INDEED. IF YOU USED YOUR POWERS, YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO THROW ME AWAY

BUT WHY AREN'T YOU DOING IT?

I CAN...

THAT'S WHY WOMEN HATE YOU.

KUH

HANDLE THIS MUCH ALONE !

DON'T SHOW YOUR CAT EARS AND TAIL

HIMARI, YOU...

..LET HER GO.

YEAH, GOT IT.

...

LET HER GO.

...LET GO.

C'MON, IF YOU DON'T BREAK FREE SOON, I'LL BREAK YOUR ARM.

DAMN. THIS MUCH STRENGTH...

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LET HIMARI GO...

LET HER GO.

AHH...

I TOLD YOU TO LET HER GO!!

YOUNG MASTER?

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HOW ABOUT YOU JUST COME AT ME, INSTEAD OF JUST YELLING?

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BAS-
TARD!!

OH.

AH.

WHAT...

YOUNG MASTER!

YUU-CHAN!

YOU THOUGHT SUCH A TRAUMATIC DEVELOPMENT WOULD HAPPEN EASILY HERE ON A BATTLEFIELD?

YOUR IMPORTANT PERSON IS IN A PINCH, YOU RELEASE YOUR FULL POWER FOR THE FIRST TIME, AWAKENING YOUR POWER AND GETTING RELEASED FROM YOUR HESITATION...

I... DARE YOU!

YOU DON'T KNOW YOUR PLACE, BRAT.

YOU WANTED TO PROTECT AND WIN WITH SUCH A WEAK RESOLVE? DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH.

UWAA!!

OKAY! ENOUGH FOR TODAY!

IT WAS FUN. LET'S MEET AGAIN.

UHH

YOUNG MASTER!

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NOT AROUND ANYMORE.

WHAT ABOUT SAITEN-DOU?

I REALLY WANT TO, BUT I GET THE FEEL-ING THERE'S NO GOING BACK ONCE I KNOW IT.

BUT IT WOULD SEEM LIKE I'M RUNNING AWAY IF I DON'T GET TO KNOW ABOUT IT...

SO CAN I PUT IT OFF FOR NOW?

CLASS REP...

WANT TO KNOW?

OK.

NO TALKING ABOUT IT ELSEWHERE.

WHAT WAS THAT...

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YUUTO...

HITSUGI... YOU'LL GET A SLAP THE NEXT TIME I SEE YOU.

HE'S OLDER THAN YOU, ISN'T HE, YAKOUIN-KUN.

KUHIHI... WATCHING THE YOUNGSTER FIGHT SURE IS INTERESTING.

SO, WHAT DO YOU THINK, TSUCHIMIKADO BROTHER?

MMM, INDEED.

OH, SCARY.

HE'S AN OLD LOST SOUL THAT WAS BEATEN ONCE.

WE WERE LUCKY TO HAVE THE KAGAMORI SISTERS SEAL THE OTHER FRAGMENTS BEFORE.

GUESS I'LL NEED A FULL-FACE HELMET FOR OUR MEETING.

NOT THAT. I MEANT ABOUT THE BOY.

I WOULD SAY HE ISN'T CORNERED, BUT HASN'T ROOM TO SPARE EITHER.

BUT HE WOR-
RIES, WAVERS,
AND THINKS.

HOW INNOCENT,
HOW CUTE.
KUHIHI.

A DEMON
SLAYER ISN'T
A BEAST OR
A MACHINE

BUT A
HUMAN.

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IT WAS ALONG
THE LINES OF A
BEAST FIGHTING
WITHOUT SANITY
AND JUST ON
INSTINCT ALONE.

THERE'S
NO NEED
TO PAY
ATTENTION
TO WHAT
SHUTEN
SAID.

HE'S SUCH A GOOD
BOY, SO I'M SURE
HE'LL WRECK HIS
BRAIN NEEDLESSLY.

A
GUIDING
LIGHT-
HOUSE,
HUH?

...THAT'S
WHY I'M
HERE.

BUT IF HE HAD CONTINUED TO TRAIN, THEN BY NOW HE WOULD...

I HEARD HE LATER FLED WITH HIS PARENTS...

NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS!!

BUT YOU'RE WAVERING TOO.

...IN MY STUDENT DAYS, I MET HIM ONCE AT NOMARA.

RIGHT.

AH, SORRY, BUT HYPOTHETICAL STORIES ARE MEANINGLESS TO ME.

HE INHERITED THE AMAKAWA BLOOD

I HOPE HE DOESN'T STRAY FROM HIS PATH.

I WON'T SPECULATE ABOUT HIS FUTURE.

WATCHING HIM IN REAL-TIME IS WAY MORE FUN.

KUJIKI

A NORMAL BOY BECOMES A MAN THROUGH BATTLES.

AND THE KEY TO THAT BREAK-THROUGH

MIGHT UNEXPECTEDLY BE THAT CAT. KUHIHI...

DAMN I CAN'T DO ANYTHING

WELL... NOTHING REALLY.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH THE LIGHTS OFF?

PONDERING IN A DARK ROOM WILL MAKE YOU DEPRESSED, YOU KNOW?

YOUNG MASTER DO YOU HAVE A MOMENT?

...THE SPIRITS AT SCHOOL WON'T ATTACK THE STUDENTS ANYMORE.

IT WAS SO THAT I CAN FALL ASLEEP ANY TIME, SINCE I WON'T GET ANYTHING FROM MY PONDER.NG ANYWAY.

HAHAHA. I SEE.

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WE ACHIEVED OUR INITIAL GOAL

YOU DID WELL.

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WELL, WE DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH YOU APPEALED AS A DEMON SLAYER...

BUT KUESU WAS PRAISING YOU!

DON'T THINK SO HARD. WE SOLVED THE SPIRIT CASE AT SCHOOL! BE HAPPY ABOUT THAT!

THAT'S

RIGHT!

I SEE YOU'RE RIGHT.

NOW IF SASAZUKA-SENPAI RE-COVERS, THE CASE WILL BE CLOSED.

BUT

THAT WASN'T ALL.

!

IT WAS LIKE THAT BEFORE WITH TAMA-MONOMAE. I DON'T SEE THEM

AND SUDDENLY THEY'RE BESIDE ME OR IN MY POCKET...

THEY ALWAYS TAKE ADVAN-TAGE OF ANY CHANCE.

...MEETING SHUTEN WAS LIKE AN ACCIDENT.

NO NEED TO BE LED ASTRAY BY HIS WORDS.

MH? THEN WHAT?

THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M THINKING ABOUT.

THAT'S WHY I'M-

COULD'VE BEEN DRAGGED INTO DANGER.

EVEN EARLIER, RINKO AND THE CLASS REP

DON'T TAKE IT ALL ON YOUR OWN. YOU'LL BREAK APART.

I'LL ALWAYS BE AT YOUR SIDE.

HIMARI-

W-WHAT'S THE MATTER, YOUNG MASTER?

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YOUNG MASTER?

W-WHAT'S WITH ME... HIMARI...

AH

MN...

CONTINUING WHERE WE LEFT IN THE HALLWAY?

AH...!

IT'S OKAY, YOUNG MASTER...

PLEASE... BE GENTLE...

UGG!?

WHERE'S YOUR REPORT...

Sh-

SHIZUKU!?

NGGG! GRML!

TELL ME EVERY LITTLE DETAIL...

WHAT HAPPENED AT SCHOOL?

I WATCHED BORING TV...

Deep throat nano

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AAAAHHH... IT GOT QUITE LATE WHILE I TALKED WITH RINKO.

IF I DON'T GET HOME QUICKLY, LITTLE FRAIL ME WILL...

MH?

HEY, WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU? ARE YOU OKAY!?

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BRING ON WHATEVER!!

AWW, GEEZ. I SAW SPIRITS AND FIRE COMING FROM HANDS THIS NIGHT ALREADY...

A GIRL LYING COLLAPSED ON THE STREET... WHAT AN EVENT.

...I'M HUNGRY.

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EH?